

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR
THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA
HUNTINGTON DIVISION**

JAMES RICE,

Plaintiff,

v.

CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:05-0330

JOANNE BARNHART,
Commissioner of Social Security,

Defendant.


ORDER

This action was referred to the Honorable Maurice G. Taylor, Jr., United States Magistrate Judge, for submission to this Court of proposed findings of fact and recommendation for disposition, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(B). The Magistrate Judge has submitted findings of fact and recommended that the Court remand this case to the Commissioner for further proceedings pursuant to Sentence 4 of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g). Neither party has filed objections to the Magistrate Judge's findings and recommendation.

Accordingly, the Court accepts and incorporates herein the findings and recommendation of the Magistrate Judge. The Court **REMANDS** the case to the Commissioner for further proceedings pursuant to Sentence 4 of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g), consistent with the Magistrate Judge's findings and recommendation.

The Court **DIRECTS** the Clerk to send a certified copy of this Order to Magistrate Judge Taylor, counsel of record, and any unrepresented parties.

ENTER: October 24, 2006

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Robert C. Chambers', is written over a horizontal line.

ROBERT C. CHAMBERS
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE